Carver-Price School News

Hello Readers! Patrons and friends are invited to attend the "Harvest Festival," Tuesday evening, November 22, at 8:00 o'clock in the Auditorium. A very interesting program has been planned for your entertainment with each class from grades 1-12 participating. Miss N. F. Williams is chairman of the program. Food will be on sale at the end of the program. This annual program is our largest project sponsored for carrying out our program of work for the year. Mark the date on your calendar and bring along a friend. We shall expect you.

Last Thursday evening "Open House" was held with a representative number of patrons out in spite of the bad weather. Mr. J. A. Burke, Superintendent of Schools; Dr. Aubrey Keesee, Supervisor of Education, and Mrs. Mildred Alvis, Visiting Teacher, visited the classrooms and spoke at the program on "Your Investment in the Schools." Principal R. E. Patrick, Rev. R. Q. Lawing, and Rev. N. R. Jordan, respectively, spoke on Carver and its offerings, character building, and led devotions. The Teachers' Choir rendered special music.

Thursday afternoon a Magician will be presented for the entertainment of the student body. The N. H. A. is sponsor.

On Wednesday, the N. F. A. Western Federation meeting will be held here with several counties being represented.

The Seventh Grade has begun making Scrapbooks on Virginia. Data consisting of pictures, reports, and drawings are now ready to be made into booklets.

Eula Mae Robinson has returned to this class after an absence of several days due to illness.

The Sixth Grade invites patrons and friends to the Thanksgiving program being presented as Assembly period on Wednesday, November 23, at 1:00 P. M. They are working hard to prepare it. The boys in this room drew the seven continents, with Gene Goode serving as chairman of this project. In the 4-H Club, Bea James was chosen to serve on the Nominating Committee. Robert Hunter attended the football game at Virginia State College last Saturday, along with other students from here.

The Fourth and Fifth Grades, with Mrs. M. E. Valentine as instructor, are showing a great deal of enthusiasm in their Science Classes. They are now making a study of plants and insects. Some of the seeds have been planted already. A great deal of information has been gathered on insects. The pupils' interests are broadening.

Until next week, our thought: "Knowledge comes by taking things apart: analysis. But wisdom comes by putting things together."

Cafeteria Menu

Mon., Nov. 21.- Franks, brown beans, kale, bread, butter, milk, gingerbread.

Tues., Nov. 22.- Macaroni and cheese, buttered green peas, stewed tomatoes, bread, butter, milk, jello.

Wed., Nov. 23.- Roast turkey with dressing, cranberry sauce, string beans, candied yams, bread, butter, milk.

Clover Hill

Clover Hill, Nov. 15.- Mr. J. P. Johnson, who has been quite ill for several days was carried by ambulance to McGuire's Hospital, Richmond, Monday morning.

Sunday visitors in the Johnson home included Mrs. Nettie Lawrence and son, Lewis, and Mr. Jim Evans, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Layne, Mrs. Thelma Caldwell, Miss Laura McFadden, W. D. Ferguson, and Richard Smith.

Mrs. L. N. Herncall entertained at a dinner Sunday, in honor of her Sunday School class from Hermon Methodist Church. Present were Misses Betty Childers, Nancy Godsey, Yvonne Beale and Etta Beale.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Conner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Torrence and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. E. C. Bondurant, of Lynchburg. In the afternoon they visited Mr. Alfred Williams and Mrs. J. A. Williams, of Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman and Mrs. W. L. Turnes, of Vera, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence.

Mrs. T. H. Trent returned home Sunday, after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Mertis Rush, of Lynchburg. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Rush and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Deacon and daughter, Judy, who spent Sunday with the Trents.

Mr. and Mrs. Banks Frazier and children, Judy and Tim, enroute from Marion to their home in Kenbridge, stopped for a brief visit Saturday with Mrs. W. P. Gills.

Mesdames T. R. Richardson and Jessie Carwile spent the week-end in Lynchburg, the former with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Richardson and Mrs. Carwile with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gertrude Torrence.

Bob Holt is confined to his home this week with measles.

Mrs. Jane Holt Woodson left last week for Columbia, S. C., where she has secured an apartment, so as to be near her husband, who is stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Mrs. J. P. Johnson Jr. is able to be out again after a recent illness. Her mother, Mrs. Vina Kress has been spending some time with her. J. P. Johnson, Jr., who underwent a minor operation last week, is also out again.

Mrs. F. W. Hanekrat is recovering at her home from the effects of a bad fall in which she sustained a broken rib.

SURPRISING NEWS

Hobbs, N. M.- Donald D. Hallam, recently learned that he had been Governor of New Mexico for three days, although he knew nothing about it. Hallam is speaker of the State House of Representatives. With the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State and President pro tem of the Senate all out of the state at one time, Hallam became Governor. He learned about it three days later.

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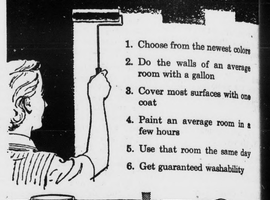

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Rocks

Rocks, Nov. 14.- It was springlike weather here over the week-end.

Herman Richardson is back home again after serving in the Army for some time. We welcome him home.

A few attended the Training Union officers and leaders' meeting at Spring Creek on Monday night.

The hunters are looking forward to the hunting season.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson, of Shawnee, Kansas spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ranson and children, of near Richmond, spent a few days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ranson.

Mrs. Donald Dixon, and baby called to see Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ranson awhile Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Almond, of Richmond spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Almond.

Mrs. D. R. Inge had charge of the prayer service on Wednesday night.

Cassie Baldwin called to see Mrs. Harry Ranson and infant awhile on Wednesday night.

The Rocks Home Demonstration Club held its November meeting with Mrs. Kermit Paulette Thursday night. The demonstration was on foreign foods.

Robert Roach and sons, Stanley and Johnny sawed wood for L. C. Elder Saturday.

Audrey Dale Inge was quite sick Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ranson attended the funeral of J. Curry Abbitt at Red Oak Saturday morning.

Dr. Carl A. Collins, Jr., of Appomattox will have charge of the Thanksgiving service at Rocks on Thanksgiving night, Nov. 24. The public is invited to hear him.

Cassie Baldwin spent Saturday with Mrs. Glenn Martin, of near Evergreen.

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Father Darkleaf

By e. h. r.

David Alexander Christian, passed away peacefully at home here Friday morning. Gone to many things for mentioned here concerning this gentleman, that I would ask your indulgence while about his contribution to our city and generation.

Many years ago Dr. Christian spent a few weeks from his active practice, and with the companionship of his son, Chesley, across the continent: to Texas, then northwestward to Oregon, and returning through the Northwest and Central plains. As they passed for lunch at Rod's Hotel House, in Williams, Iowa. The menu at Rod's has a poem printed on it, and Dr. Christian made a copy of that poem, and sent it back to me. This is what he said:

I live in a little town, where the trees meet across the street.

I wave your hand and say hello to everyone you meet.

I stand for a moment at the grocery store, and listen to the friendly gossip of the folks that live next door.

This is interwoven with the friends we learn to know; we share their joys and sorrows, as the daily come and go.

I like to live in a little town, and I want no more to roam: the best place to live is in a little town, rather than a house: it's home.

Some of my own travels took me to Kansas, and I, too, die at Dodge Kansas — and told the story of our Virginia doctor who was so impressed with the concerts and the joys and sorrows" of life in a small town are the solid stuff of life. And, now that our Virginian has passed on, I think that little poem is a fitting epitaph. He loved the life of a "country doctor" and he gave his share of $1.28 per 100 seedlings planted.

Remember a year in the 1930's, there was a bitter winter. A heavy snow blanketed Appomattox so no one could go anywhere or do anything. But Dr. Christian had a patient who lived on an R. F. D. route and this patient needed medical attention. The beloved doctor got a horse, and set out. The snow was obscured by the snow, the horse strayed off into the woods and became entwined among the trees: the drifts of snow were too fierce. But the will of the doctor was resolute; he reached his patient and got back home.

Many times through the years Dr. Christian took time out from his life to write articles for the newspaper. He was fascinated by history and his home was a veritable museum of valuable papers, books and collector's items. For many hours, through the years, he devoted to him. He would collect those precious manuscripts and interesting items, and finally I developed a dream that he would organize an Appomattox Historical Society, and that it would be possible to preserve these items and others laying around in our homes, for the benefit of the people Dr. Christian had written out a prospectus for such an organization, and I promised to bring it to his attention in another few weeks it had been done. But he was dead a year before I had the opportunity.

Many times I have heard members of the family of someone ill, say the patient started getting well as soon as Dr. Christian came into the sick room. His visits were good for the spirit as well as the body.

Many days before his passing, Dr. Christian had been out riding with his boy, at the farm of D. M. Carter. He saw a field white with cotton. The doctor felt that perhaps his children in Appomattox had never seen cotton, so he asked if he might bring a few bolls home to town. He hastened to the office and left a full-sized bolll, which many have since seen. In the end, he was dominated

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Dark Tobacco Markets To Open Nov. 28

Warehouses in the Dark-Fired Tobacco Belt will open Monday, Nov. 28, for the pre-Christmas selling of leaf. Warehouses in the 13-county belt are located in Bedford, Farmville, Blackstone and Lynchburg.

One veteran warehouseman noted this week that in his opinion, Appomattox County would have the top quality tobacco in the belt. In some sections of the belt, leaf was damaged during the frequent storms of the hurricane season. Some was so damaged in this county, but on an average, Appomattox is slated to have good quality dark-tobacco to place on the warehouse floors for the auction season.

After a pre-Christmas selling season, the markets will close for the holidays, and reopen in January.

The opening of the tobacco selling is traditionally a high mark of the farm year in the Virginia Dark-leaf belt. Although farmers do not look to tobacco as their one big cash income, as in past generations, yet tobacco forms a major portion of agricultural income in this area of Central Virginia.

Red Cross Bloodmobile Here Friday

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Appomattox tomorrow, Friday, Nov. 25. The visitation will be held at Liberty Baptist Church. The Junior Chamber of Commerce has had charge of recruitment of volunteer donors, and a goal of 100 pints has been set.

A special request has come from the Roanoke Blood Center for 13 pints of O Positive Blood; 5 pints of O Negative; 5 pints of A Negative; 2 pints of B Positive. The reason for this request is that the Blood Bank is very low in this area. If you have not been contacted, you are urged to come to the Liberty Baptist Church on Nov. 25 and become a volunteer donor.

Anyone desiring transportation to the Bloodmobile, may call Dick Wingfield at 4604, either Thursday night or Friday morning, and he will make arrangements for same.

Aid For Tree Planting Listed

Financial assistance is now available for rebuilding your forests. The 1956 Agricultural Conservation Program offers landowners of this area several Forest Establishment and Improvement practices in which Federal cost sharing can be obtained. This is an opportunity for owners of abandoned open land, heavily cutover land, or areas of worthless brush for these practices were designed to assist landowners in the establishment of productive forests and the improvement of existing woodland.

The Forest Establishment practice covers the following operations:

1. Planting Tree Seedlings on Open Areas. This operation provides for a maximum Federal cost share of $1.28 per 100 seedlings planted.

2. Spot Planting tree seedlings in Existing Open Areas of Woodland. At least 400 well spaced seedlings must be planted on each acre. The maximum cost share for this operation is $9.60 per acre.

3. Spot Planting tree seedlings in areas of woodland and by the killing of undesirable trees in this area by poisoning, girdling, or lopping. A minimum of 400 planted seedlings per acre is required to qualify for the cost sharing of $16.00 per acre.

4. Strip planting brushland is a new practice designed to aid the landowners in planting brushland where heavy disc plows are used to prepare strips for planting at strip intervals of 6 to 16 feet apart. The maximum Federal cost share for this operation is $17.60 per acre.

5. Clearing, preparing and planting areas of brush land with desirable tree seedlings is an operation carrying a payment of $22.40 per acre. Technical assistance must be utilized to determine the suitability of the land for clearing and planting and for necessary measures to prevent erosion.

Two Forest Improvement Practices carrying a Federal cost share of $9.60 per acre are:

1. Thinning by eliminating undesirable trees, or the release of desirable seedlings by the elimination of undesirable species overtopping the seedlings.

2. The preparation of forest land for natural reseeding. This is accomplished by preparing a desirable seed by some method of scarification with a harrow, disc, or bulldozer on areas having adequate seed trees.

To be eligible for federal cost sharing for any of these forest practices, the area must be protected from fire and grazing. Fencing necessary to protect the woodland from any livestock likely to be pastured nearby carries a cost share of 27c per rod.

FHA Supervisor Here

Walter E. Trent, Acting County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, was in Appomattox Tuesday at the county agent's office for a discussion with farmers on FHA loans.

Two Disney camera men are going to the South Pole.

R. D. Robinson Named Mayor

Richard D. Robinson was appointed as mayor of Appomattox at a regular meeting of the town council on Monday night. He will serve out the unexpired term of Dr. C. F. James, veteran civic leader, who for reasons of health resigned last month. He had been elected in June, without opposition, to another two year term.

The newly appointed mayor was born in Warrenton. He was educated in the Warrenton High School and the Gupton-Jones College of Mortuary in Nashville, Tenn. He is a veteran of World War II. He moved to Appomattox from Blackstone in 1946 and has operated a funeral home and furniture store here since then. He married the former Elizabeth Davidson, of Buckingham. They have two children, Mrs. Bobby Wayne Phelps, of Columbus, Ohio, and Richard D. Robinson Jr., a student at the Appomattox High School. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and a past commander of American Legion Post 104 and a member of Appomattox Lions Club. He is affiliated with the Virginia Funeral Directors Association and holds a membership in the National Funeral Directors Association.

Clean-Up Period Listed

The Appomattox Town Council has designated the weeks of Nov. 28 through Dec. 9 as Fall Clean-up Weeks in Appomattox.

During this period the town truck will carry off trash and other debris not ordinarily collected. Those having trash, etc. to be removed, will telephone the Town Manager.

This community effort is undertaken with the cooperation of the Appomattox Garden Club, to get the town in readiness for the holiday season.

Grain Growers Asked To Meet

State Senator Chas. T. Moses urges all farmers in Appomattox County to attend an important meeting at the local Court House Monday night, for the purpose of doing Appomattox's part in arranging for a grain storage facility in a ten-county area in Central Virginia. He states that Appomattox has been selected as "pilot county" on the proposal and that immediate action is necessary. It is urged that farmers co-operate with Senator Moses in this matter of vital concern.

New Station Opened

Texaco Service Center, newest station in Appomattox, opened this week. H. G. Johnson is manager. The station is next to Appomattox Garment Co., on Route 460.

Demonstration Club Schedule

Schedule of Home Demonstration Club meetings next week, with the demonstration to be on "Foreign Foods,"—

Tuesday, Nov. 29.- Trinity Home Demonstration Club will meet at 10:30 A. M., with Mrs. Len Martin. Mrs. S. G. Martin and Mrs. R. B. Martin will be in charge of the demonstration.

Wednesday, Nov. 30.- The Spout Spring Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Spout Spring school cafeteria at 1:00 P. M. Mrs. H. S. Jones, Jr., and Mrs. Wesley Martin will be in charge of the demonstration.

Thursday, Dec. 1.- The Oakville Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. C. D. Lewis, with Mrs. C. R. Smith as co-hostess. Mrs. S. S. Shouse will give a demonstration on gift wrapping.

Steel output soared to a new high peak last month.

Appomattox is a growing town.

Band Concert Slated Dec. 9

The Jefferson High School Band, of Roanoke, will present a concert here on December 9. The band is under the direction of Mr. Jerry White.

The concert of band music will be given at the New Elementary School Auditorium at 8:00 P. M., Friday, Dec. 9. The music to be played will be taken from the following groups: football season, concert number and Christmas music.

All proceeds, with the exception of transportation, will go to the support of the Appomattox Band.

Tickets will be sold by band students and at the door the night of the concert.

Hall of Fame Topic at UDC

Charlie Gills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie S. Gills, was the guest speaker at the November meeting of the Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. S. Jenkins, with Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Kate Franklin as co-hostesses. Charles, 13, used as his subject "The Hall of Fame." His talk was informative. The gist of the talk follows:

"Miss Julia Asher, your historian, has asked me to tell you a little about the Hall of Fame. It was originated in 1900 by Dr. Henry M. MacCracken, then chancellor of New York University. It was a gift from Mrs. Finly J. Shepperd, the former Helen Gould. Although the University holds the title of the Hall of Fame, Dr. Sockman explains that it is the trustee and its sacred obligation is to conserve the patriotic and educational aims of the founder and donor. The University keeps in mind that it is no local, but a national institution.

"It is a semi-circular open air colonade, ten feet, 3 inches wide and 630 feet long. The Hall of Fame is one of the last examples of architecture by Stanford White. Elections for the Hall of Fame are held every five years. All persons elected must have been a citizen and must have been dead 25 years.

"Three men were elected this year... out of 209. They were: Wilbur Wright, the co-inventor of the first successful man-carrying, powered airplane. Mr. Wright was born on a farm in New Castle, Indiana. He received 86 votes.

The second was George Westinghouse, the inventor of air brakes and other mechanical and electrical devices. He was born in Central Bridge, N. Y. He received 62 votes.

"The third was General Thomas Jonathan Jackson, better known as "Stonewall" Jackson. He was the famous Confederate general, second only to the great Robert E. Lee. Gen. Jackson was born in Clarksburg, then Virginia, now W. Va. He received 72 votes.

Bronze likenesses of these three plus Woodrow Wilson and Joseph Willard will be placed in the colonade of the Hall of Fame, which will make 86 members in all.

"Because of the 25 year law, Orville Wright, Wilbur's brother, cannot be admitted yet. He died in 1948.

Club Sells Fruit Cakes

Fruit cakes for Thanksgiving and Christmas are being sold by the Appomattox Lions Club, as a fund-raising project. The cakes are in 2 and 5-pound sizes. They may be purchased at: Spencer's drug store, Maude's Hot Shop, Grinels Motor Co., Frozen Food Locker and the Farmer's National Bank.

VERA P.-T. A.

The Vera P.-T. A. held its regualr monthly meeting at the school Thursday evening at 7:30. The meeting was called to order by its president, J. R. Megginson. The Rev. Charles Addington held the devotion, after which a short business meeting was held. The pupils of the school gave an interesting program. in keeping with National Book Week.

Funeral of Dr. Christian Held Monday

Funeral services for Dr. David Alexander Christian, Jr., 75, who died at his home here at 5:30 A. M. Friday, were conducted Monday at 3:30 P. M. from the Liberty Baptist Church. Burial was in the Christian family cemetery near Vera.

The beloved veteran physician had been in declining health for some months, but had remained active and had ministered to patients in recent weeks, both at his home office and calls to their homes.

Born in Appomattox County, he was the son of the late Judge David A. Christian and Mrs. Agnes Thornhill Christian. He attended Southside Chase City Academy and graduated from the Medical College of Virginia in 1908. The same year, he began the practice of medicine in Appomattox and continued until his death.

In 1916, he married Miss Bessie Stratton, who died in 1944.

He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church, of Monroe Masonic Lodge, American Medical Association and American Association of Railway Surgeons.

His grandfather was the late Dr. William D. Christian, who for many years attended to the medical needs of the community. His father was the late Judge of Appomattox Circuit Court.

He is survived by five daughters: Mrs. George L. Koos, Jr., Tangent, Oregon; Mrs. Harold E. Thompson, Jr., Aelxandria; Mrs. Worth Harris, LaCrosse, Florida; Mrs. William J. Byerly, Richmond; Mrs. John E. Cox Jr., South Swansea, Mass.; one son, Chesley Stratton Christian, Appomattox; two sisters, Mrs. G. Parks Jennings, Appomattox, and Mrs. K. H. Sisson, Richmond; one brother, Thomas L. Christian, of Covington; and 14 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted by Dr. G. A. Collins Jr., the Rev. Charles Addington and the Rev. W. M. Thompson. Pallbearers were: Joel W. Flood, Harold Spencer, Chas. T. Moses, Jerry Burke, J. A. Bingham, Charlie Lewis, Wilson Thornhill and Walker O'Brien.

Garden Club Plans Program

Mrs. W. T. Snead, of Fork Union will be the guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Appomattox Garden Club on Monday night, Nov. 28, in the Appomattox High School cafeteria. The meeting will begin with a covered dish supper at 6:00 o'clock. Mrs. R. C. Hubbard and Miss Beulah Ferrell are chairman and co-chairman, respectively, of the dinner committee. After the dinner, Mrs. Snead will talk on "Christmas All Through The House," and will make Christmas decorations to illustrate her talk.

Mrs. H. M. Bransford, of Cohasset, who is awards chairman for the Piedmont District of the Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, will also be a guest of the club for this dinner meeting.

Artistic exhibits for the evening will include (1) A Christmas composition using one or more candles and (2) "Friendly Thoughts" — a composition using a Christmas card as an inspiration. Horticultural specimens will include berry-bearing shrubs and any evergreens.

MISSION STUDY CLASS FOR Y. W. A.'S

The Susy Taylor Whittinghill Y. W. A. of Liberty Baptist Church will sponsor a mission study class, Monday, Nov. 28, at 7:30 P. M. Mrs. W. B. Pittard, Jr., of Lynchburg, will teach the book, "Among The Minarets," by John Marion.

A special invitation is being extended to all Y. W. A.'s of the Appomattox Association to attend this class. Y. W. A. Counsellors in Appomattox County are: Mrs. DeWitt Harvey, Central; Mrs. M. E. Beane, Calvary; Mrs. Kenneth St. John, of Evergreen; Mrs. John Burnett, Hebron; Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Jr., of Liberty; Mrs. Hubert Wilkerson, of Red Oak; Mrs. L. P. Brown, Reedy Springs; Mrs. Claude Jennings, of Spout Spring, and Mrs. Robert Lucado, Pamplin.

Defenders To Meet Tuesday

There will be an important meeting of the local county chapter of Defenders of State Sovereignty and Individual Liberties, at Appomattox Court House at 8:00 P. M. Tuesday, Nov. 29.

This will be a regular meeting of the chapter, postponed until this time, to let representatives to the State General Assembly know how the citizens feel about the Gray Commission Report on schools. The General Assembly has been called into special session Nov. 30, to act on school problems.

A. H. S. Plays Title Game

Appomattox High School was in an "underdog role" as the Blue Hornets went up against the powerful Blackstone Rams in Farmville last night, in a post-season football game for the unofficial Southside championship. A. H. S. won the District 4, Group 2 title, and Blackstone annexed the District 3 crown.

Blackstone had a record of 7 wins and one loss this season, losing 6-20 to Kenbridge for its only setback. The Rams won two other games in non-league play, for an over-all 9-1 record. The Blackstone team has been a high-scoring outfit, with an average of 7.8 yards rushing per try. Quarterback Ernest Robertson has completed 47 per cent of his forward pass attempts. Billy Abernathy, star halfback, has scored 127 points, and has averaged 12.4 points per game. Don Koonce, another halfback, is a hard-running ball-carrier and has averaged 7.1 yards each time he has carried the ball this season. Bobby Daniels, still another fine back, has averaged 7.59 yards per try. He has picked up 100 yards rushing in the last 3 games.

To match this powerhouse team, A. H. S. is weak on offensive power but hopes to throw up a sturdy defense to hold the score to a fair margin.

To compare with Blackstone's record of 9-1 for the season, A. H. S. came out 4-5-1, but won the league title with 3 trimphs in loop play.

Last year, A. H. S. was defeated by Emporia in a play-off for the Southside crown.

ATTENDANCE RECORD AT EVERGREEN SCHOOL

Perfect attendance at the Evergreen school for the present session:

First grade: Bonny Bruce.

Second grade: Avery McIntosh, Linda Chandler, Joette Paulette, and Wilsie Sue Paulette.

Third grade: Emilia Bruce, [illegible] Henderson, Juanita Martin, [illegible]da Lee Simmons, Barbara Kay [illegible]

Fourth grade: Johnnie [illegible], Donald Hamilton, Charles W[illegible]s, and Wanda Kay LeGrande.

Firth grade: Fred Martin, Paulette, Ruby Chandler, [illegible] Childress.

Sixth grade: Richard H[illegible] Brenda Clapp and Patsy Wi[illegible]